**AP US History 2nd Semester Schedule**

Mr. Scacewater

**\*No Credit will be given for late work or work only partially completed\***

**Dates of Note:** March 18 Exam 10% of Grade, April 8 Exam 10% of Grade, May 6 AP Exam

**Commonly Asked Questions:**

Do I have to do work on Spring Break? Yes, it is in the schedule and worth 100 Points

How many points are available this semester? Roughly 1200, mostly Exams, Quizzes, and essays

Do I need a binder this semester? **Yes**, with sections divided into “Notes”, “Handouts”, “Elections”, and “DBQs” (I will distribute an election handout for each election)

Do I need to get an AP Test Prep Book? Yes, 5 Steps to a 5 AP U.S. History, 2010-2011 Edition (we will discuss this in class but they are on Amazon for $9.50 used and 24 are available)

* January 24, 2011 – In class notes on end of Chapter 15 HippoCampus Videos: Economic Diversification, Political Changes, Race Relations in the New South
* Janaury 25, 2011 – In class notes/discussion of Chapter 16, HippoCampus Videos Migration Westward, Mining Building and Influence of the Railroads (Homework on Frontier Thesis)
* January 26, 2011 – Practice with the DBQ, Thesis Statements, Analysis
* January 27, 2011 – In class notes Chapter 17, Discussion, HippoCampus Video Postwar Industrial Expansion
* January 28, 2011 – In-Class Mini-AP Quiz (M/C & DBQ Essay)
* January 31, 2011 – Chapter 17 Special Focus: Riots and Conflict in Industrial America; HippoCampus Videos Workers in America, Union Organizations, Major Strikes
* Feburary 1, 2011 – Primary Sources Chapter 17 in-class on Carnegie & the Gospel of Wealth; begin notes on Chapter 18; HippoCampus Videos The Tweed Ring and Machine Politics, Corruption in Business and Government
* February 2, 2011 – Special Topic Ch. 18: “severe problems of government mismanagement”; Distribute updated cumulative study guide for Friday quiz
* Feburary 3, 2011 – Chapter 18 AP Topic: “new developments in American educational opportunities, particularly for women”; Begin Notes for Chapter 19, Election of 1888, HippoCampus Video “Women and Blacks in America”
* Feburary 4, 2011 – In Class AP DBQ

Over the weekend, Please watch HippoCampus Videos: 1) Origins of Progressivism

2) Municipal, State, and National Reforms, and 3) Social Alternatives

* Febuary 7, 2011 – Continue Chapter 19, Assassination of Garfield, HippoCampus Videos The People's Party, The Election of 1892, The Election of 1896
* Feburary 8, 2011 – Chapter 19 Focus: “Spanish American War & Imperialism”; Graphic Organizer for American victims of Imperialism, Treaty of Paris, Platt Amendment, Workbook Pages
* Feburary 9, 2011 – *Bring Textbook* (will be doing Ch. 19 Study Question in class, short day) / Distribute updated cumulative study guide for Friday quiz
* Feburary 10, 2011 – Presidential Focus: Roosevelt’s Square Deal, Assassination of McKinley, Wilson’s New Freedom: HippoCampus Videos Roosevelt's Square Deal, Taft Administration, Wilson's New Freedom (Complete Tri-Venn Diagram during videos)
* Feburary 11, 2011 – 35 Question Multiple Choice Quiz for 25 minutes, then in a small group select an essay from Chapter 19 online activities and create an outline for the essay (treat like a FRQ)
* February 14, 2011 – Continue Imperialism, HippoCampus Videos “China”, “Panama Canal”, “Roosevelt Corollary”, Video on Panama Canal (How it actually works)
  + Read Short Essay on “Recent Literature on American Populism”
  + Vocabulary Handout on Imperalism
* Feburary 15, 2011 – Progressivism, Begin Chapter 20, Special focus on “prohibition, immigration-restriction, and women's suffrage movements (20th Amendment), Refresh Memory on amendments 13-21 (Amendment Quiz Friday, Feb 18)
* Feburary 16, 2011 – The Presidency of Woodrow Wilson before World War I
* Feburary 17, 2011 – World War 1, American Neutrality, HippoCampus Videos US Neutrality, Subs, Mobilizing the Nation for War
* Feburary 18, 2011 – Amendment Quiz (10 minutes), HippoCampus Videos Wilson's Fourteen Points, Treaty of Versailles, Defeat of Treaty in US; in small groups of 4-5 students are responsible for 1 paragraph on each learning objective for this chapter:
  + The new direction of American foreign policy introduced by Roosevelt, especially in Asia and the Caribbean
  + The similarities and differences between Taft's and Roosevelt's approaches to foreign policy
  + The reasons for the continuation of American interventionism in Latin America under Wilson
  + The unfolding of the diplomatic crisis between Mexico and the United States in the years before American entry into WWI
  + The background factors and the immediate sequence of events that caused the United States to declare war on Germany in 1917
  + The contributions of the American military to Allied victory in World War I
  + The extent of government control of the economy during World War I and the results of that control
  + The use of propaganda under George Creel and the CPI to further the WWI effort
  + The announced American objectives in fighting the war, Wilson's Fourteen Points
  + Woodrow Wilson's motives, successes, and failures at the Paris Peace Conference
  + The circumstances that led the United States to reject the Treaty of Versailles
  + The economic problems the United States faced immediately after the war
  + The reasons for the Red Scare and the upsurge of racial unrest that afflicted postwar America in 1919
* February 21, 2011 – Multiple Choice Practice Test World War I, Review Answers, Begin Chapter 22
* February 22, 2011 - Presidency of Warren Harding, Calvin Coolidge, Xenophobia, Nativism, Vocabulary Handout Chapter 22, HippoCampus Videos “Religion”, “Prohibition”, “New Culture”
* February 23, 2011 – The Great Depression, Hoovervilles, Stock Market Crash
* February 24, 2011 – Special AP Topic: “The impact of the Depression on minorities, particularly African Americans and Hispanic Americans”; Historical Debate over causes of Great Depression
* Feburary 25, 2011 – No in class quiz today; Chapter 24, The New Deal, Presidency of FDR, HippoCampus Videos The Depression, Roosevelt Election, New Deal Programs
* Feburary 28, 2011 – Alphabet Soup, Court Packing Scheme, Historical Viewpoint on New Deal
* March 1, 2011 – Special AP Topic: “America's "unilateral internationalist" foreign policy in the 1920s”, HippoCampus Videos Attempts at Collective Security, Diplomacy of 1930, The Rise of Fascism and Militarism; Begin Chapter 25 and answer the question: “How Was America involvewd yet uninvolved?” (Distribute updated cumulative study guide)
* March 2, 2011 – The Road to War, Adolf Hitler, Nazism, the War in Europe, HippoCampus Videos The Military Harbingers & The Diplomatic Response
* March 3, 2011 – Pearl Harbor Dec. 7, 1941, clips from *Pearl Harbor*, HippoCampus Video “The US Enters the War”
* March 4, 2011 – In-Class AP Multiple choice Quiz 35 questions, Begin Chapter 26, the War in the Pacific, V-J Day
* March 7, 2011 – Wrap up of World War II, AP Special Topic HippoCampus Video “Women and Minorities”, Use of Atomic Bomb, Primary Source Readings on Atomic Bomb
* March 8, 2011 – Begin the Cold War & Chapter 27, HippoCampus Videos Potsdam Conference, Truman's Domestic Policy, Election of 1948, U.S.-Soviet Relations
* March 9, 2011 – “Duck and Cover” from archive.gov, Atomic Age, Truman Doctrine, Marshall Plan, Korean War, General McArthur, Primary Source Readings
* March 10, 2011 – Supreme Court Desegregation, Icue videos *Brown v. Board*, Presidency of Eisenhower and in particular his foreign policy, HippoCampus Videos Domestic Concerns, Rebuilding Urban America, Space Race
* March 11, 2011 – Continue Cold War, Wrap up Chapter 28, Study Questions Chapter 28 *In Class* (Bring Textbook)
* March 14, 2011 – Special AP Topic: McCarthyism, Red Hysteria
* March 15, 2011 – Begin Chapter 29, Civil Rights Era, JFK Presidency, Lyndon B Johnson’s Great Society (distribute **cumulative** study guide for Chapters 15-29)
* March 16, 2011 – Civil Rights Continued, HippoCampus Videos Civil Unrest, March on Washington, Civil Right Legislation, Chapter 29 study questions *in class* (Bring your textbook today)
* March 17, 2011 – Vietnam War, Primary Sources from online, *Bring Textbook*
* March 18, 2011 – In Class Multiple Choice **Exam** (70 questions) 10% of Semester Grade
* March 21, 2011 – Vietnam War Strategy Shift, Henry Kissinger, Watergate, Icue Videos Watergate
* March 22, 2011 – Chapter 30 Special Topic: “growing economic problem of "stagflation under Nixon and Ford”
* March 23, 2011 – HippoCampus Videos Election of 1968, Vietnam, Foreign Affairs
* March 24, 2011 – Presidential Focus: Election of 68, 72, 76 (Distribute take home FRQ)
* March 25, 2011 – Take Home FRQ – Topic “Civil Rights” (NO School)
* March 28 – April 1 Spring Break (Homework Assignment: Read Chapter 31, Complete Online Activities Multiple Choice, True False, Image Quiz, Study Questions) 🡪 100 Points, must be completed by start of Class Monday, April 4, 2011
* April 4, 2011 – Briefly Discuss Chapter 31, bring Study Questions to class already **completed**, begin Chapter 32, Presidency of Reagan, Bush, Clinton (Focus on Elections and Topics in the Elections)
* April 5, 2011 – HippoCampus Videos Gerald Ford, Jimmy Carter, Ronald Reagan, George Bush, Bill Clinton (Take notes on teacher distributed handout), distribute study guide for presidential quiz (list in order presidents from FDR-Clinton while mentioning biggest accomplishment/disappointment)
* April 6, 2011 – Finish Chapter 32, 9/11, Election of 2000, Election of 2008
* April 7, 2011 – Finish off any loose ends, Primary Source Readings, Vocabulary handouts
* April 8, 2011 – AP Multiple Choice **Released** Exam – 10% of Semester Grade
* April 11, 2011 – Begin 19 School Day AP Review, starting out of book 5 Steps to a 5 AP U.S. History, 2010-2011 Edition
  + 3 More 80 Question Multiple Choice Practice Exams
  + 5 Different FRQ’s
  + 5 Different DBQ’s
  + Focus on Big Picture Topics: American Revolution, Jacksonian Democracy, Manifest Destiny, Civil War, Muckrakers (Progressives), Populist Party, Treaty of Versailles, Great Depression, Pearl Harbor & WW2, Cold War, Watergate Scandal
* May 6, 2011 – AP Exam 8:00 A.M. **–** Review AP Procedures ahead of time, Good Luck!
  + Maria’s B-Day Party, TBA (She is bringing the donuts!)
* May 9, 2011 – Begin Post-Exam Final Project in Groups